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Hospital ER Doc Savors First Boston Marathon

Kathy Parmele loves running. The Calvert Memorial Hospital emergency physician said “it has always been my stress reliever.” She even ran six miles four days before her son was born. “That may have been why he was born exactly on his due date,” she joked.

More recently, the 43-year-old mother of two has varied her exercise. “I’ve been doing triathlons for the last eight years and just completed my first full-length Ironman last year,” Parmele said. “I hope to keep running the long-distance races for my whole life. It certainly keeps me motivated to stay off the couch.”

She has run the Marine Corps Marathon nine years in a row but the Boston Marathon was always on her bucket list. “I went to Harvard and I’ve always loved Boston. I’ve run countless times around the Charles,” she said. “Two of my college roommates still live in Massachusetts and I wanted to take the weekend to introduce my two children and my husband to the area.”

“It’s a huge honor to run the Boston Marathon,” Parmele added. “This year was also the second year after the bombing and was taking place at the same time as the trial of the man charged. I wanted to play my part in showing others that there is more good than bad in people.”

Parmele, who is originally from Greece, said she immigrated to the United States when she was 6 and became a proud American citizen in 1985. “I wanted to honor this great country of ours by wearing red, white and blue on Patriot’s Day,” she said. “It only seemed fitting.”

So, on April 20 she joined 26,610 others who braved the cold and rain to run through



the winding roads and streets of eight Massachusetts cities and towns to complete the 2015 Boston Marathon.

Rehabilitating several injuries, she finished in 4:21:50, much slower than her qualifying time but better than her goal of 4:30. “I felt the exhilaration of finishing an iconic race but I also felt cold, wet, tired and sore.” But she quickly adds, “But happy. Very, very happy. I kept thinking, ‘I did it! I finished the Boston Marathon! I also kept thinking, ‘How quickly can I get to a hot shower?’”

While her children, Amanda, 12, and Alexi, 14, were a bit embarrassed by their mother’s “crazy get-up” it was a huge hit during the race, said Parmele. “I got hundreds of shout outs but my most memorable moment came about one-half mile before the end of the race.”

Preserving Calvert’s History

Historical Society Raising Money for a Flatbed Scanner

By Sarah Miller
Staff Writer

Are you interested in helping preserve the history of Calvert County? Support the Calvert County Historical Society (CCHS) in their fundraiser flatbed scanner, which will assist in preserving fragile documents, which include ledgers, plats, deeds, and the 70-year collection of Calvert Independent newspapers, donated to CCHS when the newspaper shut down, according to CCHS Director Leila Boyer.

The BookEye4, associated hardware and software, and Optical Character Recognition (OCR) software will cost \$33,000. So far, CCHS has raised \$19,000, Boyer said.

The older a document is, and the more it is handled, the more likely it is to begin falling apart. The scanner will allow the CCHS to preserve original documents while still being able to study them. The OCR software will allow community members and CCHS volunteers to search documents.

Donations can be sent to CCHS as PO Box 358, Prince Frederick, Md., 20678. CCHS is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization and donations made will be tax-deductable.



Leila Boyer looks through old newspapers, which could be preserved using a flat bed scanner

For more information, visit www.calverthistory.org or call 410-535-2452. The historical society is located at 70 Church St in Prince Frederick and is open Tuesday through Thursday from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

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Hospital Earns Patient Safety Excellence Award

Calvert Memorial has received the 2015 Healthgrades Patient Safety Excellence Award™, placing it in the top 10 percent of hospitals nationwide for preventing patients from serious complications during hospital stays.

“This achievement reflects an organization-wide commitment to delivering high-quality care and to protecting patients from potentially preventable complications,” said Evan Marks, chief strategy officer of Healthgrades.

CMH was one of 467 hospitals in the country recognized for excellent performance as evaluated by Healthgrades, a leading online resource for comprehensive information about physicians and hospitals.

“This type of recognition means so much,” said CMH President and CEO Dean Teague, “because it shows that our focus on patient safety and quality care is making a positive difference.”

Teague went on to add, “I am so proud of our entire team. They work hard every day to provide the best possible care for each patient and that includes keeping them safe.”

According to Susan Dohony, chief quality officer at CMH, the hospital has dedicated resources and teams that are passionate about reducing patient harm. “Our staff are



empowered and encouraged to report any safety related concerns or ideas to improve patient safety,” she said.

“These suggestions are evaluated and any opportunities for improvement are enacted with staff input,” Dohony added. “Lessons learned are shared across the organization so that similar errors or events are not repeated.”

Healthgrades found that Patient Safety Award recipients performed higher than non-recipients during the study period (2011-2013) in safeguarding Medicare patients, as measured by objective outcomes for 13 indicators defined by the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality.

These indicators included various complications that might occur after surgery or incidents related to medical care such as an accidental puncture or laceration during a procedure and pressure or bed sores acquired in the hospital.

According to Healthgrades, over 133,000 patient safety events could have been avoided from 2011 to 2013 if all hospitals nationwide performed similar to the award recipients on each of the 13 patient safety indicators.



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2015 Law Enforcement Torch Run



On June 2, the Calvert County Sheriff's Office hosted the annual Maryland Law Enforcement Torch Run Event for Special Olympics. Approximately 20 Officers, to include Calvert County Sheriff's Deputies, Calvert County Correctional Officers, and Maryland State Police Troopers, ran and bicycled approximately 20 miles in support of the Special Olympics. Officers came together to support the Special Olympics and their athletes. The positive impact on the Officers, Special Olympics Athletes, and their supporters is extremely rewarding!

During the Torch Run, Officers run and bike to Calvert High School and Calvert Country School to greet students. After a very warm welcome from the students, Officers were bused to Solomons where the event began. Officers then ran and bike approximately 20 miles back to the Calvert County Sheriff's Office guarding the Torch as it ven-

tured from Solomon's to Prince Frederick.

Special Olympics Maryland is a year-round sports training and competition program for children and adults with disabilities. Special Olympics serves 10,000 athletes around the state, offering over 20 different sports.

Our goal for this year is to sell over \$1,000 in T-shirts and hats as direct proceeds to Special Olympics. This year we reached our highest sales ever at approximately \$2,000 in T-Shirts sales and donations!

Thank you to everyone who has supported the Special Olympics cause by purchasing a T-Shirt and/or hat. The Calvert County Sheriff's Office would like to give a special Thank You to the Special Olympic Athletes!

*Submitted by the Calvert County
Sheriff's Office*

Nonprofit Institute Seeks to Connect the Community to Local Organizations

By Sarah Miller
Staff Writer

Are you looking for a way to serve your community? The Nonprofit Institute (NPI) at the College of Southern Maryland is offering ways to find opportunities.

The NPI recently launched Southern Maryland Gives, a website designed to connect individuals trying to donate to local non-profit organizations.

"This is a big deal and we need your help," said College of Southern Maryland (CSM) President Brad Gottfried.

Southern Maryland Gives features a handful of nonprofit organizations and their projects every month. Any money donated to the nonprofits will be given to them, even if donations do not reach the goal set by the nonprofit.

"Strong non-profits lead to a strong community," Gottfried said.

There is a disconnect between nonprof-

its and the community, said Greenwell Foundation representative Kaitlyn Fernald. The Southern Maryland Gives website will be helpful in bridging the gap, she said.

In addition to the Southern Maryland Gives website, the NPI is working on revitalizing the Volunteer Southern Maryland website.

"It's a chance for people to see where they're needed," said NPI Program Assistant Megan Timmens.

Volunteer Southern Maryland will give local organizations a chance to solicit volunteers and help community members find where their volunteer services are most needed.

For more information, visit www.southernmarylandgives.org or www.csmd.edu/NonprofitInstitute/.

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Efforts Continue to Establish New Municipality in Lusby

By Sarah Miller
Staff Writer

The grassroots push to incorporate the Chesapeake Ranch Estates into a municipality to be called Calvert Shores is well underway, and residents intend to get the matter on the November 2016 general election ballot as a referendum vote.

Past efforts to make the Property Owners Association Chesapeake Ranch Estates a municipality failed, during in part to the sheer size of the area involved, said spokesperson Bernie Wunder.

The Calvert Shores municipality would encompass a small section of Lusby, including the Calvert Ranch Estates, the Lusby Town Center, and the post office.

According to the Calvert Shores website, “the proposed Lusby Area Municipality named Calvert Shores is located on the Chesapeake Bay approximately 65 miles Southeast of Washington, D.C., and approximately 80 miles South of Baltimore.”

As a municipality, more tax dollars would remain in the area, Wunder said. There would be more local control on zoning and ordinances, and the municipality could be more proactive. There are 66 miles of road in the Chesapeake Ranch Estates, Wunder said, and establishing a municipality would free up funds and create new revenue opportunities for road upkeep, Wunder said.

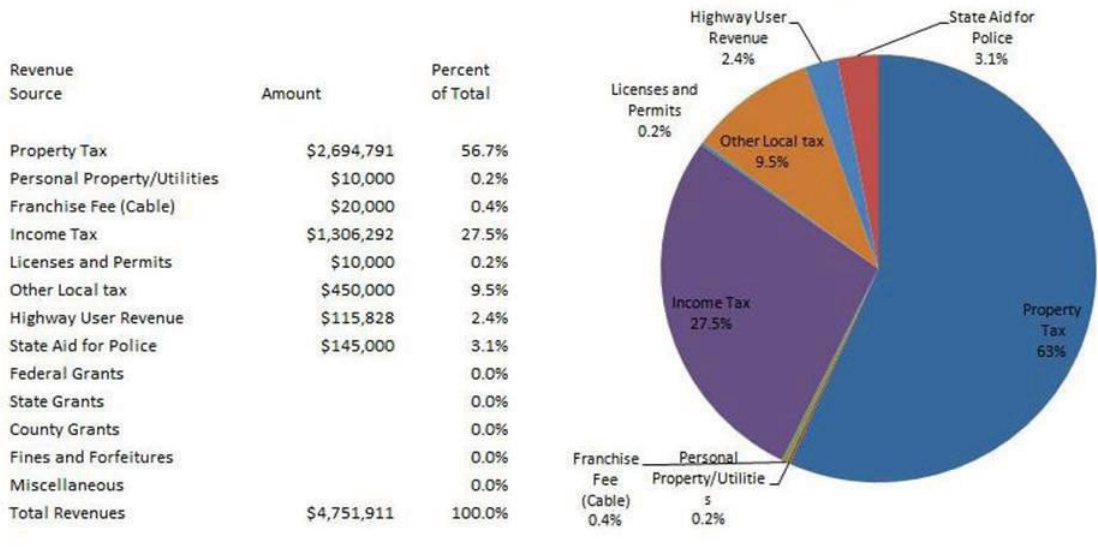
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All revenues shown below are from taxes and fees already paid to the State, County, and HOA that would be directed to the City Treasury. “Other Local Taxes” is an estimated offset of Road Fees which would be eliminated if the roads became municipal.

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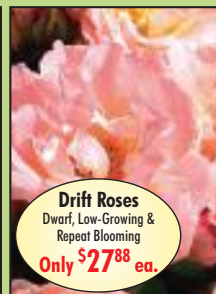
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Teen Arrested for Allegedly Distributing and Promoting Child Porn

By Lauren Procopio
Staff Writer

Police have arrested and charged a Huntington teen for allegedly distributing and promoting child pornography.

Detective Michael Mudd, of the Sheriff's Office, arrested John Wayne Thomas Hancock, 19, after he allegedly confessed to the allegations during an interview.

According to charging documents, the suspect was arrested on May 26 after Mudd identified Hancock as a "possible suspect" in the investigation on May 14.

According to the probable cause statement, Mudd was conducting surveillance in the vicinity of Calvert High School while waiting for the suspect. At approximately 2:05 p.m., the suspect was observed driving a Toyota Tacoma and Mudd subsequently approached the suspect and asked to speak with him about the case.

According to charging documents, Hancock agreed and rode with the detective to the Sheriff's Office to discuss the investigation. According to court documents, Hancock waived his Miranda Rights and during

a "lengthy interview" he told the detective that he "obtained the video depicting the sexual molestation of the male infant" via a KIK messenger chat group that he had joined. According to charging documents, Hancock said the explicit photos would be sent to him from various users and after he received the video he posted it on the social media site, Tumblr, in order to show how "sick" people were.

According to charging documents, Mudd subsequently placed the suspect under arrest during which the suspect became "upset and started crying."

Charging documents alleged that Hancock stated he was having a "panic attack and ruined his life."

Hancock was transported to the county detention center for processing and was eventually bailed out by his grandmother, Wanna Jean Carbaugh, who posted his \$15,000 bond.

Hancock is scheduled for a preliminary hearing in District Court on June 22.

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Lusby Man Charged with First-Degree Assault

By Lauren Procopio
Staff Writer

Police apprehended a Lusby man after he allegedly threatened the mother of his two children and her family with a shotgun.

According to charging documents, on May 31, officers with the Sheriff's Department arrested and charged Andre Tayvon Gross, 22, with first-degree assault, second-degree assault, and disorderly contact.

Police responded to Maple Way in Lusby at approximately 2 p.m. after Michael Norris called 911 to report the alleged allegations.

According to a written statement given by Norris, he said he was sleeping when he heard his sister, Genive Robinson and Gross arguing, followed by a "loud crash." Norris then stated he pushed the door open to tell the couple to stop arguing when the suspect allegedly asked him if he wanted to "go outside to settle things."

"He [Gross] then started yelling at me about how he can beat me down and things like that," Norris said.

According to the statement, Norris went back to his bedroom and closed the door.

"A minute or two went by and I heard the gun click as in being pumped. I stepped out to see what it was and I saw him [Gross] quickly put it behind his back," Norris wrote in the statement.

Norris told the suspect that if he shoots him, he would go to prison for murder and the suspect allegedly responded saying he did not care.

According to the written statement from Norris, the suspect threw the gun down and continued to threaten Norris and his family. Norris went back to his bedroom and subsequently called 911 and while he was

on the phone, the suspect allegedly said he has "plenty of people willing to take care of" [Norris] and his family."

According to court documents, Robinson was "apprehensive" to talk to police, but said, "all I seen was the gun."

According to charging documents, once police arrived to the scene, they observed the suspect and a small child in the back of the house.

According to court documents, Deputy Rector then spotted the suspect near the shed in the backyard and ordered for him to put his hands up, which he failed to do.

According to court documents, Deputy Holt observed the suspect running away from the residence toward Field Road.

According to charging documents, Rector began running after the suspect, while Deputy Naughton and Holt repositioned their patrol vehicles to order to intercept the suspect on Field Road.

Gross was apprehended at the intersection of Field Drive and Evergreen Drive and was searched for weapons.

Police did not find any weapons on the suspect, but discovered the un-loaded Mossberg shotgun inside the back bedroom in the residence. Gross told police he did not touch the gun, but later recanted his statement, according to charging documents.

Gross was placed under arrest at roughly 2:35 p.m. and was transported to the local detention center, according to charging documents.

According to court documents, Gross is being held on a \$20,000 bond and is scheduled for a preliminary hearing in District Court on June 29.

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STATE POLICE REPORT

Prince Frederick Barrack

Theft / Shoplifting / Destruction of Property:

On June 2 at 1:27 p.m., Trooper Rucker responded to the Walmart in Dunkirk for a theft in progress. Anthony J. Pessagno, 26 of Owings, was observed opening and removing movie DVD's from displays and taking them to other locations in the store. He was again observed carrying a doll and other movie DVD's to the checkout area and then placing them on a shelf prior to attempting to exit the store. Charges are pending against Pessagno for theft and destruction of property.

Destruction of Property:

On June 2 at 3:51 p.m., Trooper Jones responded to the 2000 block of Solomons Island Rd. in Huntingtown for a reported malicious destruction of property to mailboxes. Unknown suspect(s) had damaged mailboxes for several of the neighborhood residences. It was determined that a vehicle was not involved in damaging the mailboxes. Investigation continues.

Theft / Shoplifting:

On June 2 at 7:45 p.m., Trooper First Class Costello was off duty shopping in the GNC store in Prince Frederick when he observed a theft

in progress. Shane P. Dwyer, 20 of Huntingtown, removed Niacin from the store without paying for the item. TFC Costello responded to the MSP Barrack and called Dwyer at his home telling him he had been the other customer in the store and asked him to bring the item to the MSP Barrack immediately. Theft charges are pending.

DWI / Possession of Clonazepam:

On June 3 at 5:41 p.m., Trooper First Class Wiesemann responded to a motor vehicle crash on Old Solomons Island Rd. in Owings. The driver, Joseph D. Smith, 48 of North Beach, demonstrated several signs of impairment while speaking with TFC Wiesemann. Smith was transported to the hospital due to injuries. Clonazepam was found in the vehicle and in Smith's pants pocket. Charges are pending while waiting for the results of the blood kit.

Possession of Marijuana:

On June 5 at 11:46 p.m., Trooper Greathouse stopped a vehicle on Rt. 4 near Rt. 231 in Prince Frederick for traffic violations. The driver, Malik R. Williams, 19 of Hyattsville, displayed several criminal indicators. A probable cause search revealed less than 10 grams of marijuana. Wil-

liams was issued a Civil Citation for the possession charge and was released.

Possession of Marijuana:

On June 6 at 12:21 a.m., Trooper First Class Wiesemann stopped a vehicle on Rt. 4 north of Langley Rd. in Solomons for traffic violations. The odor of burnt marijuana was emitting from inside the vehicle. A probable cause search revealed a large amount of marijuana and drug paraphernalia. Thomas A. Briscoe, 22 of Park Hall, MD, was arrested and incarcerated at the Calvert County Detention Center.

Possession With Intent to Distribute Marijuana:

On June 8 at 12:15 a.m., Corporal West stopped a vehicle on Plum Point Rd near Bayside Dr. in Huntingtown for traffic violations. The odor of fresh marijuana was coming from inside the vehicle. TFC Matthews and Tpr. Greathouse responded to the scene to assist. A search incident to arrest was conducted and marijuana was found in a large mason jar and several small plastic baggies. A digital scale and other drug paraphernalia were located in the vehicle. Bryson J. Curtis, 19 of Huntingtown, was arrested and incarcerated at the Calvert County Detention Center.

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Mariann Crisman

Office Manager, Calvert Collaborative for Children & Youth, Inc. While many Calvert residents share in the positive nurturing of our youth, this year we recognized five Champions for Children. Calvert County Sheriff's Office's Cpl. Glenn Libby was awarded the Champion for Children for Healthy Families Award. Vice Principal of Calvert Middle School Catherine Sutton was awarded the Champion for Children for Education Opportunities Award. The Concerned Black Women of Calvert County was collectively awarded the Champion for Children for Strong Families Award. Community Collaborator Champion Award was presented to Bernie Fowler, Jr. for founding and operating Farming 4 Hunger. And, the student Champion Award was given to Huntingtown High School sophomore Dia Brown. These champions daily give of themselves to improve our community and make a positive impact on our children and our future. The Calvert Collaborative for Children and Youth applauds their talents and efforts and thanks them for their commitment. With Sincere Gratitude, Guffrie M. Smith President, Calvert Collaborative for Children and Youth

20 Years of Chesapeake Orchestra

The Chesapeake Orchestra, under the baton of its founder Maestro Jeffrey Silberschlag, is celebrating 20 years of providing world-class music to the Southern Maryland community. The 2015 River Concert Series at St. Mary's College of Maryland begins on Friday, June 19, 2015.

The Southern Maryland community may not be aware that since 2013, the Chesapeake Orchestra is responsible for making the music happen, while St. Mary's College is responsible for supporting the infrastructure of the concert venue, including the tent, lighting, and maintenance staff. The money donated to the St. Mary's College River Concert Series, including the bucket donations, supports the concert venue. The Orchestra pays for the major expenses of the River Concert Series, including the

orchestra musicians, guest soloists, rental of the music scores, and advertising. To keep the concerts alive, both entities rely on contributions from the community and government grants, such as the ones from the Maryland State Arts Council. Please join me and corporate sponsors and other individual donors in supporting the music by donating at the Orchestra's website – www.orchestrapeakeorchestra.org, by mail to Support Chesapeake Orchestra, PO Box 1227, Leonardtown, MD 20650, or at the Chesapeake Orchestra table at the River Concert Series. The Chesapeake Orchestra is one of the most highly ranked arts organizations in Maryland - how lucky we are to be able to enjoy world-class concerts Friday evenings each summer!

Barbara Bershon

Commissioner's Corner Welcome to Calvert County



Evan K. Slaughenhaupt Jr. (R)

Who has not heard at least one person say how much they liked moving to Calvert County, but once here hoped nobody else moved in? I think the difference is high density versus low density.

As one approaches the county from a northwestern approach, one notices a difference on Route 4 after crossing the Patuxent River. A rural more open space presence becomes dominant. Upon entering Calvert County, after first seeing a few neighborhoods, a visitor sees what is dubbed the Gateway to Calvert County, Dunkirk; a minor town center with a few stores giving the appearance these are intended to support local citizens rather than drawing widespread crowds of shoppers.

If coming to Calvert County from the west on Rt. 231, the rural climate known throughout areas of Charles County continues with a beautiful view of the Patuxent River. Dominant in that approach on the left is the appropriately named Serenity Farms. No wonder many think of our county as the land of tranquil living. That sense of a rural setting remains until arriving at our county seat, Prince Frederick.

Speaking of views, approaching Calvert County from St. Mary's County presents a spacious vista that is Solomon's Island and Lusby thanks to the height of the Thomas Johnson Bridge. The scenic perspective is one comparable to some areas of Florida, but yet truly distinctive and welcoming.

Other entries from the north, Route 2 from 'South County' rural Ann Arundel County and Rt. 261 through North Beach also offer a unique and yet welcoming appearance to our home county. A land dominated by the water and agriculture history is home to over 90,000 citizens. Some families descend from generations of Calvert founders, while many now are more

recently transplanted.

We know years ago, Calvert County was among the poorest in the state, largely tobacco farmers and watermen. Things changed remarkably when the state's only nuclear power plant arrived, the Thomas Johnson Bridge connected the southern part of the county to St. Mary's County, the school system improved, and new residents began arriving seeking a more tranquil location than where they were otherwise living. Our county evolved from primarily agriculture to residential.

Have you notice that when many citizens travel they say they are from Calvert County rather than saying a city or town name? There is a sense of pride being from our county. Even when differences occur, we are all in this together and love this county.

Just as change is the only constant, our county continues to evolve. Currently, the expansion of the Dominion LNG plant is poised to generate much economic activity. The Prince Frederick in the location of the old high school area will have a mixed Residential, Commercial/Retail, Green Space and Community Center, and is yet another change in the foreseeable future.

While changes do raise issues, let's ensure we still maintain the largely low density even as we see increased density in the designated town centers. Working together, and being engaged is something Calvert citizens have always done and likely to do so as we see this next evolution of Calvert County.

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Hart and Hejl:

The Newest County Commissioners

By Lauren Procopio
Staff Writer

The end of 2014 meant a new Board of Commissioners for Calvert County and the election resulted in two residents' identifying themselves as the county's latest commissioners.

Commissioner Mike Hart (R) and Commissioner Tom Hejl (R) were voted in by citizens and replaced incumbents Susan Shaw (R) and Gerald (Jerry) Clark (R).

According to the commissioners, the primary purpose for the board is to create and approve a budget for the county as a whole, which both commissioners have said has been a challenge.

"We're struggling to keep a balance budget, we have cut every department within county government over the last five years, they've been cut 14 percent and you can't continue to give out when you're cutting," Hejl continued.

"Everybody thinks because they always hear we're the richest county in the state... well that's per capita wealth of individuals, that has nothing to do with the county and we have been struggling to make ends meet," Hejl explained.

"You [Commissioners] are the steward so to speak of all the taxpayers' money, a lot of people don't understand what control we have over the money. In theory, \$100 comes in, you would think we have 100 percent control of that money, but we don't," Hart said.

"The state had to cut money from us for years – that's put a strain on what we had to work with and people say just raise taxes, well you can't tax your way out of it and soon you run out of people to tax," he continued.

The newly added commissioners created an all around Republican affiliated board, however Hejl said that the board members still have intense discussions about the future of the county.

"I won't deny that there are some heated exchanges at times, we try not to do that in the public, but we all have our own opinions," Hejl said.

"Everybody brings something a little different to the table and I'm a Republican, but

I understand you have to look at each issue from all angles and I may do something and someone says, 'oh, he's probably a Democrat,'" he explained.

Despite all the work involved in being a county commissioner, commissioners are regularly invited to various social events in the county and both said they were surprised at how many events they are invited to. "To be perfectly honest with you I really like the job, [but] I don't like all the things that people want you to go to. People think that Commissioners are some kind of rock stars; I view it as, I'm a person doing a job," Hejl said.

"I had no idea there are so many things going on out there. I mean we get a lot of invitations; it's impossible to go to all of them. Between the five of us, I think we do a pretty good job of getting to most things, but it can be overwhelming," Hart said.

"In terms of the amount of socialization that commissioners get invited to I am amazed – I am absolutely amazed. I mean everything from parties for individuals to dance recitals and I'm like, really I'm not that important to go...that's a family thing, keep it a family thing and I'll just do my job, but to each is own..." Hejl continued.

"I went to a 90th birthday party this weekend and that was really cool. But when organizations want to pull us in just to talk about policies... I just think it pulls me away from my work, but I know we owe it to them to do that, but it's not my favorite," Hart said.

Despite all the invites, the commissioners are concerned with finishing the work and making a difference in the county.

"The county elected me to do this job and that's what I'm focused on. ...I do try to make every meeting that involves some aspect of what a person may need from county government, whether it's a business owner, a developer...I make sure I make those meetings because I perceive that as a very important part of the job," Hejl said.

"I like doing the work, if I'm doing the work I can help somebody," Hart added.

Both commissioners added just how much work is involved as a county commissioner and want to change the public's perception of how much work is required.

"People think that Commissioners are some kind of rock stars; I view it as, I'm a person doing a job," Hejl said.

"We went in yesterday [May 2] and we usually try and get there at 8 a.m. and have a couple meetings before our 9 a.m. starts and then our 10 a.m. and I got home last night at almost 9 p.m., so it's not what everybody thinks that you're in there for a little while on a Tuesday and it's done," Hejl explained.

"I knew it would be very time consuming. I spend as much time doing that as I do my own business," Hart said.

Looking into the future, both commissioners are unsure if they would seek reelection. Hart said it was "too early to tell," but said if he was "ineffective" as a commissioner then he would not seek reelection.

"I would have to say at this point, primarily because of my age, it might be a one and done. Now, there are some things I want to accomplish and we're moving toward that as a entire board and if I accomplish those things then I'm definitely a one time guy – if I don't, and I think I can accomplish them in a second term, I may run. I just want to be able to get some things done that I heard on the campaign trail that I'm a true proponent of that I think need to be done," Hejl said.

The Board of County Commissioners meets every Tuesday at 10 a.m. in the Circuit Courthouse.

For more information on each Commissioner, visit msa.maryland.gov/msa/mdmanual/36loc/cal/html/call.html.

The Circuit Courthouse is located at 175 Main Street in Prince Frederick.

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Commissioners Tom Hejl and Mike Hart.



Assistant Sheriff Dave McDowell addresses the County Commissioners.

Photos by Frank Marquart



Commissioners presenting award to local softball team during their Tuesday meeting on June 9.



The Calvert County Times runs complimentary obituaries as submitted by funeral homes and readers. We run them in the order we receive them. Any submissions that come to news@countytimes.net after noon on Mondays may run in the following week's edition.

Michael Patrick McLoughlin, 24

Michael Patrick McLoughlin, 24, tragically passed away on June 3, at his row house residence in Washington, D.C. not far from Dupont Circle.

He was born on Sept. 20, 1990 in Fairfax County, Va. to parents Michael McLoughlin of Leonardtown, Md. and Mindy Johnson of Valley Lee, Md.

Michael attended Leonardtown High School where he excelled in academics and soccer. He graduated from Leonardtown in 2008. He continued his education at the University of Maryland and pursued his passion for sports; playing for various soccer teams throughout the DC area. Michael graduated magna cum laude from the University of Maryland, College Park, with Bachelor Degrees in Finance and Economics in 2012.

Michael was a driven, intelligent young man, with an amazing ability to make people laugh. The family is devastated that he is gone. The outpouring from the community in response to Michael's death highlighted his compassion, spirit and the many strong friendships he shared in his life.

In addition to his parents; Michael is survived by his sister, Danielle McLoughlin of Fairfax, Va.; a younger brother, Russell Johnson of Valley Lee, Md.; his grandmother, Martha Paugh of Galloway, N.J., and stepdad Rich Johnson also of Valley Lee.

Friends and family shared memories at Holy Face Church on June 8, followed by a Memorial Mass celebrated by Reverend Jerry Gamrot.

Condolences to the family may be made at www.brinsfieldfuneral.com

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(Tom) of Logan, Utah; Nora Davis of Boise Idaho; Martha Doherty (Justin) of Verona, Wisc. and Theresa Lage(Scott) of Bloomington, Ill. His grandchildren are Paul McAllister (Nancy) of Ellicott City, Md.; Mike and John McAllister, III of Leonardtown, Md.; Erin Doherty of Madison Wisc.; Emily Brown (Lucas) of Coeur d'Alene, Idaho; Katie Davis of Boulder, CO, Jim Davis of Boise, ID, and Kelly and Matt Lage

Bloomington, Ill. His great grandchildren are Laura, Kevin and Mark McAllister of Ellicott City, Md.; Meara, Maxwell, and Abigail McAllister of Leonardtown, Md.; and Elijah, Noah,

Jacob, Mary, Jack and Elizabeth Brown of Coeur d'Alene, Idaho.

Jack was a lifetime unwavering Catholic with a devotion to liturgical music. Jack was 100% Irish, with all of his great grandparents and grandparents being traceable directly to Ireland. Jack enlisted in the Army in February of 1943. While in the Army he studied chemical engineering at MIT, turned down a chance to work on the atomic bomb at Oak Ridge, Tenn. and served as platoon commander in the 71st Chemical Mortar Battalion serving in the continental United States and on Okinawa. He was honorably discharged from active duty in July of 1946. He was awarded the American Campaign, Asiatic Pacific Campaign, Army of Occupation (WWII), and World War II Victory medals.

Jack graduated from the University of Texas in 1949 with in a degree in Chemical Engineering. He started his 31-year career with DuPont the same year. Notably he spent

Most of his career in Detroit, Mich. working with General Motors and small plastics molders to reduce automobile weight by converting more than a hundred internal car parts from metal to plastic.

He retired from DuPont in 1980 and moved with Helen to Ocean Pines, Md. where he enjoyed singing in church and community choirs, acting in amateur plays and attempting to invent plastic chicken feeders and plastics horseshoes.

Helen and he moved to Leonardtown, Md. in 1997 where he enjoyed being cantor at St. Francis Xavier Church. He (along with grandson Mike) is co-holder of a patent to help physically challenged people don socks. Jack had a talent for creative writing, authoring dozens of "Papa Jack and Granny" short stories about their adventures with their children, grandchildren and great grandchildren.

A memorial celebration of life service will be held on July 18 at 1 p.m. at St. Francis Xavier Church.

In lieu of flowers memorial contributions can be made to St. Francis Xavier Church, 21370

Newtowne Neck Road, Leonardtown, Md. 20650.

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Francis Patrick "Frank" McCabe, 77

Francis Patrick "Frank" McCabe, 77, of Solomons, Maryland died peacefully on June 2 due to complications from cancer. He was born Dec. 7, 1937 in Milwaukee, Wis. and was raised on the family farm

in rural Whitewater by his parents, Thomas Francis McCabe and Gertrude Ann Malone McCabe. He graduated from Whitewater High School in 1955 and from Parks College of St. Louis University in 1958, with a degree in Aeronautical Administration. He had a career in the federal government, both in St. Louis and in Washington, D.C. spanning 41 years, retiring in 1999. The last 27 years were spent in the Office of International Affairs at the Federal Aviation Administration, where he worked directly with foreign countries, particularly Russia and China, on a wide range of international aviation issues.

His two passions, especially in retirement, were active involvement in local Republican politics for the betterment of his county, state and nation; and sailing his boat, the Kelly Ann, in the Chesapeake Bay and down the Intracoastal Waterway to Florida with first mate Nancy.

He was a devout Catholic and an active parishioner at Our Lady Star of the Sea Catholic Church in Solomons, and was involved in many civic, charitable and cultural causes.

He is survived by his devoted wife of 47 years, Nancy Read McCabe, a son, Thomas Patrick McCabe (Meghan Conklin) of Washington, D.C., a daughter, Kelly Ann McCabe (William Plyler) of Los Angeles, Calif., a sister, Rita McCabe Jackson Weiss of Mequon, Wis., and two grandsons.

The family received friends on Wednesday, June 10 from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. in the Rausch Funeral Home, 20 American Lane, Lusby, Md. Funeral Services will be held on Thursday, June 11 at 11 a.m. in Our Lady Star of the Sea Providence Room, 225 Alexander Street, Solomons, Md., 20688 with Monsignor Michael Wilson officiating. Interment will be private.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to The Calvert Republican Relay For Life Team, c/o CCRCC, 424 Solomons Island Road, Prince Frederick, MD 20678; or Knights of Columbus #9258 (designated for "Special Fund to Support OLSS School"), P.O. Box 5, Solomons, Md., 20688.

Funeral arrangements by Rausch Funeral Home P.A., Lusby, Md.



A Visitation was held at Lee Funeral Home Calvert, Owings with Funeral Services and burial at the Maryland Veterans Cemetery Chapel, Cheltenham, Md.

Memorial contributions may be made to Calvert Hospice, P.O. Box 838, Prince Frederick, MD 20678

Dorothy Mae "Dot" (McCready) Bost, 87

Dorothy Mae "Dot" (McCready) Bost, 87, of Lusby, Md., passed away on Friday, May 29, surrounded by her family.

Dot was born on June 22, 1927, to Elsie (Coleman) and Maurice B. McCready. Calvert County was the place of her birth and where she lived all her life. She had many enjoyments, a few were gardening, crabbing and riding her three-wheel bicycle. She loved her family dearly and was always there for whoever needed her. She was a daughter, sister, wife, mother, grandmother and a friend to many. Her smile and the twinkle in her eyes will be greatly missed.

Dot was the beloved wife of the late Terry N. Bost and loving mother of David Knight and the late Dennis Bayliss and Roland McCready. She was the devoted grandmother of Shelia Squires and sister of Bessie Scaggs and Vernon McCready.

A Memorial Gathering and Service was held at St. Paul's United Methodist Church, Lusby, Md. Burial will be private. Arrangements were made by Lee Funeral Home Calvert, P.A., Owings, Md.

Hilda (Teixeira) McClanahan, 91

Hilda (Teixeira) McClanahan, 91, of Prince Frederick, Md., formerly of Clinton, Md., passed away on Sunday, May 31.

She was born in Tauton, Mass., on Oct. 5, 1923, to Juliana (Ricio) and Frank Teixeira.

Hilda was a very active person. During WWII, she assisted in the war efforts by making bullets. She worked as a Statistician for the Federal Government with the U. S. Department of Agriculture, retiring after 15 years of service. She was a member of the Ladies Auxiliary LEGG, Women Marine Auxiliary and the National Association of Retired Federal Employees.

She also volunteered at Southern Maryland Hospital for over 10 years and with a local P.T.A. She enjoyed bowling, knitting, crocheting, reading, following the political campaigns and she loved to travel. She had visited 45 of the 50 U. S. states, family in Portugal and went on a Caribbean Cruise.

She was the beloved wife for over 50 years to the late Lovell "Mac" McClanahan, Jr. She was the loving mother of Lovell "Chip" McClanahan, III and John E. McClanahan. She was the devoted grandmother of Erica Lynn Stone, Ashley M. Tompkins, Colleen R. McClanahan, Tamara J. Hypes, Brian Lovell McClanahan, Lisa M. McClanahan, Shannon L. Mayforth, Justin L. Brown and Katrina M. Barrett. She was the great-grandmother of Shealyn M. Stone, Gavin M. Tompkins, Julianna E. Barrett, Samantha S. Mayforth, Donovan M. Stone, Carter J. Barrett and Waverly M. Stone. She is also survived by one sister and numerous other family and friends.

A Memorial Visitation and Service was held at Lee Funeral Home Calvert, Owings, Md., with Inurnment at Maryland Veterans Cemetery, Cheltenham, Md.

Memorial contributions may be made to American Cancer Society, 8219 Town Center Drive, Baltimore, Md., 21236.

John James "Jack" McAllister, 92

John James "Jack" McAllister, 92, died peacefully on June 1 at Solomons Rehab and Care Center, Solomons, Md.

Jack was born on May 5, 1923 in Dallas, Texas to Frank Aloysius McAllister and Margaret

Elizabeth Gleason McAllister. He was predeceased by his wife of 56 years Helen Startt McAllister, whom he married on Aug. 6, 1946 (which he proclaimed the "hottest day of the century").

He is survived by six children, nine grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren.

His children are John J. McAllister, Jr. (Julie) of Leonardtown, Md.; Margie McAllister Stekol (David) of Austin, Texas; Mary Connin





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Books, Pizza, and Minecraft

Library Gears up for Summer Reading

By Sarah Miller
Staff Writer

Is your student looking for something to do during the summer?

Calvert Library is hosting a number of events for tweens and teens, starting with June events including Minecraft, pizza with a side of books, and more.

Librarians all over the county have gotten involved in planning, said Public Relations Coordinator Robyn Truslow.

Amping up tween and teen programs falls in line with the recently completed strategic plan. The plan indicated that the community wants to see more activities for teens, offering them a place to hang out and get involved in the community, Truslow said.

This year's summer reading program, "Every Hero has a Story," focuses on superheroes, from the ones found in comic books to the ones found in everyday life. There are activities for all age groups, from pre-readers to teens. There is even an activity for adults, so parents can participate



in the summer reading program along with their children.

For more information, visit calvert.lib.md.us.

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A Summer on the Water

Sailing Center Chesapeake Offering Sailing Classes



By Sarah Miller
Staff Writer

Sailing Center Chesapeake (SCC) is offering opportunities for students interested in learning how to sail, or looking for ways to get on the water, with a series of sailing courses throughout the summer.

According to SCC treasurer Rick Rutkowski, SCC has been holding summer sailing courses for more than a decade. The classes are open to anyone over the age of 12. The hope is to expose as many students as possible to sailing, and possibly expand the SCC high school sailing program.

Summer Sailing Courses are sched-

uled 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.. The cost for each class is \$250 per student. This includes a \$50 membership fee to the Sailing Center Chesapeake. The course fee is \$200 for current SCC members.

For more information, visit sailing-centerchesapeake.org.

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Summer Courses

Introduction to Sailing (1 week) July 20 – 24 and Aug. 3 – 7

A basic course in small boat (dinghy) sailing and an introduction to competitive high school sailing for ages 12+.

Continuing Sailing (1 week) August 10 – 14

A secondary class to reinforce and continue developing skills from an introductory or intermediate class for dinghy sailing. This course is a natural follow-on to SMSA's Intermediate Sailing Course or our SCC Introduction to Sailing, ages 12+.

Water Sports Camp (1 week) June 29 – July 3

This camp is a combination of sailing, canoeing, kayaking, paddle boarding, etc. for recreational boating for ages 12+.



From My Backyard to Our Bay was first developed by the Baltimore County Soil Conservation District. From there, the booklet was given to each of the Soil Conservation Districts in the Chesapeake Bay watershed area for customization. If the 17.5 million residents who live in the watershed area of the Chesapeake Bay read this booklet, and took to heart its suggestions and best practices, the Chesapeake Bay would see a dramatic increase in health. Obtain a **FREE** copy of the booklet by going to the St. Mary's River Watershed Association, smrwa.org and downloading it. The booklet is available at Wentworth Nursery in Charlotte Hall; Chicken Scratch in Park Hall; The Greenery in Hollywood; Good Earth Natural Food; and the St. Mary's Soil Conservation District in Leonardtown.

Join your local watershed association and make a difference for Our Bay!

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A St. Mary's County Resident's Guide to Improving Our Environment and Drinking Water

Forest Stewardship

Forest land is important to the overall health of the Chesapeake Bay. Forests provide several layers, from the canopy to the forest floor, that act as filters, improve water quality, reduce sedimentation, remove nutrients, and regulate stream flow during storms.

Maryland's 2.5 million acres of forest, most of it privately owned, cover approximately 42% of its land area. St. Mary's County's land area is about 50% forested, and has more than 400 miles of shoreline. Wooded buffers along these shorelines are critical to improving Bay health. Acre for acre, forested lands produced the least amount of runoff and pollution. The County occupies a forest transitional zone, where the dominant tree species vary from oak/hickory to tulip poplar to sweet gum/red maple and loblolly pine.

Forests can **be harvested on a sustainable basis** for materials, including structural lumber, crates, shelving and furniture, flooring, mulch, and pulp for paper. Forests can, in most cases, provide these products while

also maintaining and even enhancing wildlife habitat, recreational activities, and soil conservation. Timber harvests are closely monitored by a partnership of agencies, including St. Mary's Soil Conservation District and St. Mary's County Department of Land Use and Growth Management.

Plant a Tree

Go to trees.maryland.gov for information on planting trees. There is a Recommended Tree List for the program *Marylanders Plant Trees*. There is a \$25.00 coupon on the website for purchasing a tree. However, the tree must be on the eligible list of trees. There are 14 small trees, or 29 large trees on the list that is updated periodically.

County residents with questions about woodland stewardship and management, as well as timber harvesting, should contact a certified forester. The State of Maryland maintains a database of private Licensed Professional Foresters (LPFs), who work cooperatively with



the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) Forest Service to assist landowners with implementation of timber harvests. Lists of LPFs can be found at the DNR Web site below.

Where to get help with... FOREST STEWARDSHIP QUESTIONS

- Maryland Dept. of Natural Resources, dnr.maryland.gov/forests/

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This is the twenty-eighth in a series of articles that Mary Ann Scott (scottmaryann9@gmail.com) has adapted from *From My Backyard to Our Bay* in the hopes of increasing awareness of the powerful booklet that could do so much to help the Chesapeake Bay and its tributaries. Look for the next article in next week's County Times!

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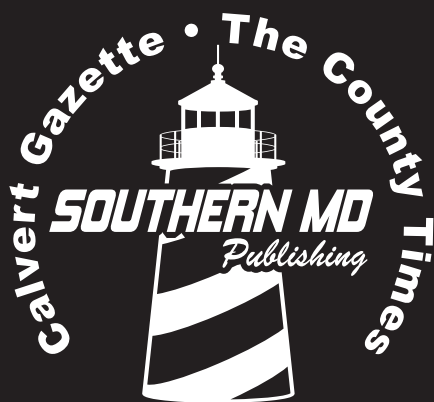


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New Science Museum in Calvert County

By Kaitlin Davis
Contributing Writer

Calvert's newest museum is offering an opportunity to get up close and personal with pieces of the nation's celestial history.

The Spaceflight American Museum and Science Center held its soft opening on May 29, followed by its grand opening on Saturday, May 30, at 11 a.m.

Over the course of the two days, about 400 people were in attendance. Saturday featured three guest speakers: Laura Slovey who presented "Life on the Shuttle," Tucker Barnes who presented "Weather and Space," and Professor Christian Ready who presented the formation of the solar system. Guests were able to view demonstrations, ask questions to volunteers and were able to try on gloves used by astronauts in space. One volunteer, Dan Bramos, awed those in attendance by wearing the museum's Orion space suit.

"It was great," said Alan Hayes, who has worked with the Federal Aviation Administration for over 30 years. "The crowds were really nice and people were wonderful."

Currently, Hayes is working with Calvert County schools in order to make the space museum an integral part of their education program. Though programs will still be offered to the public, Hayes is willing to work with the schools to make sure the programs fits their needs. Private schools and schools from other counties will still be able to participate in the upcoming fall program.

Located at 600 Dares Beach Rd, Prince Frederick, the museum is part of Volanz Aerospace Inc., a non-profit (IRS 501c3) Maryland corporation. Volanz Aerospace was founded in 1998 in order to provide space science and space education and research opportunities, according to the Spaceflight American Museum and Science Center's website. In order to impact space science and technology, Volanz Aerospace works with NASA, various educational institutions, government and industries.

Prior to the opening of the space center, Hayes had started the Spaceflight Institute, which included weeklong summer camps for students in Upper Marlboro, Calvert, Charles, St. Mary's and Anne Arundel County. However, there was an interest in having a central place of operation, according to Hayes. In 2013, Hayes began discussing with the county in order to find a facility that would be able to accommodate the space museum. After further discussion, The Arthur Storer Planetarium was

proposed.

The Arthur Storer Planetarium was built around 1976, but at the time of discussion was being used as a guidance office for Calvert High School while it was undergoing construction. The Spaceflight American Museum and Science Center has been in the building for about eight months now.

"We thought it would be a place for kids of all ages to come and see man space flight," said Hayes. "There isn't really anything here in Calvert County and that was one of the reasons we got started in the first place. There isn't any really high-tech opportunities for students and we thought this would be a great way of doing it."

The museum is comprised of three main rooms that feature various exhibits and artifacts. The larger room is where the bigger exhibits are located, such as the Hubble display and the International Space Station display. Also on display is a section of the space shuttle wing that was built after the space shuttle Columbia disaster back in 2003. Guests are able to see it up-close and marvel at its pristine condition. Located near the entrance is a smaller room that features display cases. The Planetarium is also an integral part of the museum and now has a digital projector where full dome movies will be shown later in the year.

The Planetarium features a Wall of Fame where county residents that worked on something related to space can be honored.

"We wanted to do something to recognize the county residents that had worked on the space program in some form or another," said Hayes.

The museum is largely volunteer run.

"We are still looking for volunteers as well as businesses that want to sponsor us," said Hayes. "We need a lot of help to do something like this."

The museum was able to get their hands on various space artifacts from NASA, China and Russia. Artifacts that are seen in the museum come from the Gemini program, the Apollo Program and the International Space Shuttle and more. There is also a Kidz Zone where children are able to land a space shuttle, draw and use the glove box.

For upcoming events and further information, contact The Spaceflight American Museum and Science Center at 301-812-6480, visit their website www.spaceflightamericamuseum.org or their Facebook page www.facebook.com/Spaceflightamericamuseum/timeline.

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2015 Relay For Life Calvert County

Saturday, June 13, 2 p.m.- Sunday, June 14, 2 a.m.

Calvert County Fairgrounds, 140 Calvert Fair Drive, Barstow, MD

Relay for Life of Calvert County, the signature community fundraising event of the American Cancer Society,

is an outlet for the community to come together, celebrate survivors, remember those who lost their battle to cancer, and raise money toward finding a cure for cancer. Registration is free. For more information go to www.relayforlife.org/calvertmd.



Photos courtesy of Alan Hayes

Calling All Animal Lovers: The Orphaned Wildlife Rescue Center Wants You to Volunteer

By Taylor DeVille
Contributing Writer

A pair of large, unblinking, yellow eyes greeted me as I walked through the door.

"He's a juvenile Barred Owl," explained R.G. "Doc" Wexler, founder and president of the Orphaned Wildlife Rescue Center (OWRC), located in Lusby, Md.. He opened the owl's cage door and asked if I wanted to pet him. "He's very gentle," he said. I held my finger out and the Barred Owl nipped me almost affectionately. His keen eyes closed when I touched the soft feathers on his head.

It took approximately 60 seconds for me to fall in love with the OWRC, an organization that rescues about 3,500 animals each year.

"I moved here 25 years ago with the intention of starting the OWRC because there was no help down here for wildlife at all," Wexler said. "We're celebrating our 25th year this year."

The OWRC functions out of a house. The clinic houses any animal you could imagine—owls, groundhogs, possums, ducklings, rabbits, turtles, raccoons, eagles, fawns, you name it.

Every single animal taken in by the OWRC has been injured and is in need of medical attention and rehabilitation. The no-kill clinic employs licensed volunteers, interns and veterinarians to perform surgery on the animals. The procedures can include anything from suturing the broken shell of a turtle to repairing an eagle's injured wing. Since its creation, the OWRC



Photos by Taylor DeVille

has rescued around 35,000 animals.

Since March, the clinic has been open 24 hours a day, seven days a week to meet the demands for wildlife care. Since the OWRC is a non-profit organization, they are in need of consistent, week-to-week volunteers, either licensed or unlicensed.

"We're looking for people to be able to work eight- or four-

hour shifts, but you don't need to be licensed to do that. We train anybody who comes in to volunteer," Wexler said. "Everyone who volunteers has the opportunity to do everything from cleaning cages to feeding to medicating to handling the babies and doing all the basics physicals and so forth. You can volunteer even if you're not comfortable doing surgeries." Working at the OWRC is also a unique opportunity for aspiring veterinarians, who usually wouldn't be able to perform surgeries until their second or third year of college.

If you can't volunteer, the OWRC is also in need of donations in order to adequately care for Maryland's injured wildlife.

"Volunteers are number one on our wish list, and number two would be financial help," Wexler said. "Just last month we spent \$7,000 on medications, pharmaceuticals, surgical supplies and feed. We also always need dry dog food, dry cat food, hand towels, and we'd love to have a jeep."

The eight-hour shifts are 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.; 12 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.; 4 p.m. to 12:30 a.m.; and 12 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. Monday through Sunday.

If you love animals and want a very special experience feeding baby animals, call the OWRC at 410-326-0937. Training will be provided. For more information, you can visit www.facebook.com/OrphanedWildlifeRescueCenter.

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Senior Citizen News

Young at Heart

Beat the Heat

Beat the heat this summer with some simple steps. Wear loose-fitting, light color clothing. Drink plenty of water. Eat lighter, smaller meals or snacks containing cold fruit or low fat dairy products. If you don't have air-conditioning, many areas have cooling centers that are open to the public. Finally, use common sense. Stay indoors when you can and avoid activities in direct sunlight or on hot asphalt surfaces. Pay special attention to the elderly, infants, and anyone with a chronic illness, as they may dehydrate easily and be more susceptible to heat-related illnesses. Don't forget that pets also need protection from dehydration and heat-related illnesses.

Calvert Meals on Wheels (CMOW) Needs Volunteers

CMOW is looking for volunteer drivers and route coordinators for the home delivered meal program. Contact Bob Robertson at 410-271-1274.

Win a Renaissance Santa

The ceramics class will be raffling a ceramic Renaissance Santa, June 15 - 30. Tickets will cost \$1 for one chance/\$5 for six chances. Stop by the ceramics room at any senior center to get your tickets. The winner will be drawn July 1. All proceeds will go to the ceramics paint fund. For more information, call Calvert Pines Senior Center at 410-535-4606 or 301-855-1170.

Upcoming Trips

Enjoy Christmas in July with a Ceramics Shopping Trip to the Country Style Ceramics Shop in Colonial Beach, Va., Tuesday, July 28. Buy Christmas pieces you can paint and fire for 50 percent off and 20 percent off all other bisque and supplies. Lunch will be at Wilkerson's Seafood Restaurant. Fee: \$10 (cost of items and lunch are additional). Limited space is available on the bus. Register early.

Take a trip to the Rainbow Dinner Theatre in Paradise, PA, for the play Too Many Cooks, Thursday, July 23. Enjoy a buffet lunch followed by the show. Fee: \$70, includes transportation, buffet lunch and show. Only six slots left.

Calvert Pines Senior Center (CPSC)

An AARP Driver Safety Class will be held, Tuesday, June 16, 9 a.m. Fee: \$15/AARP members, \$20/non members. To register, contact Calvert Pines at 410-535-4606 or 301-855-1170.

North Beach Senior Center (NBSC)

Celebrate Father's Day with a Father's Day a la Rootbeer Float, Friday, June 19, noon.

Eating Together Menu

Lunches are served to seniors, aged 60-plus, and their spouses through Title IIIC of the Older Americans Act.

Suggested donation is \$3. To make or cancel a reservation call: Calvert Pines Senior Center at 410-535-4606 or 301-855-1170, North Beach Senior Center at 410-257-2549, or Southern Pines Senior Center at 410-586-2748.

Monday, June 15

Sliced Turkey with Gravy,
Mashed Sweet Potatoes,
Cranberry Salsa, Kale, Whole
Wheat Bread, Peaches

Wednesday, June 17

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Tuesday, June 16

Ham with Pineapple Sauce,
Brown Rice Pilaf, Mixed
Greens Salad, Mediterranean
Salad, White Bread, Sliced
Pears

Thursday, June 18

Chesapeake Bay Newburg,
Mixed Green Salad, Calico
Rice, Wheat Bread, Apple

Friday, June 19

Ribeye Steak, Baked Potato,
Signature Salad, Herbed Car-
rots, Dinner Roll, Melon

SMSA Hosts Women's Regatta

The Southern Maryland Sailing Association held a keelboat regatta specifically for the women sailors in the area. Four boats competed in the regatta, which included four races over five hours.

For more information about SMSA, visit www.smsa.com.



Photos by Sarah Miller



Big Buck Racing at MDIR

This Friday night, June 12, MDIR will host the Speed Unlimited Midnight Madness Series! The Midnight Madness series is a great place to check out street legal drag racing, hang out with your friends, enjoy great food, meet new people, and cruise the pits. You can even enter your own streetcar or street bike into the event for time runs, grudge runs, or trophy racing. The event will feature Pro Street, Super Street, Hollyrock Customs Super Diesel Shoot-out, Motorcycle, and the Big Rig Outlaws. It's safe, fun, affordable, and legal. Gates will open at 6 p.m., racing starts at 6:30 p.m., and eliminations start at 10 p.m. General Admission for adults is \$10, and kids 11 & under are free. Racer entry fee is just \$20.

On Saturday and Sunday, June 13-14 MDIR will host the Top E.T. 5k Triple Header. The full Speed Unlimited ET series with Top, Mod,

Motorcycle, Jr. Dragster and Test & Tune will be run on both days, and there will be two \$5,000 to win races for Top ET on Saturday and one \$5,000 to win race on Sunday. The Summit Super Series and Rick's Jewelers Ring For the Queen programs are also in effect. Test & Tune cars may also participate for \$30 and you get four runs. On Saturday, gates will open at 9 a.m. and racing starts at 10 a.m. On Sunday gates open at 9 a.m. and racing starts at 10 a.m. Admission is just \$15, and kids 11 & under are free. Top E.T. entry fee for one race is \$99, two races is \$189, or \$279 for all three. Mod E.T. entry fee is \$45, and Motorcycle entry fee is \$35. Junior Dragster entry fee is \$25.

For more information on these events call 301-884-RACE, visit us at www.RaceMDIR.com or connect with us on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram @RaceMDIR.



A View From The BLEACHERS

Misconceptions, Rock Stars and MVPs



By Ronald N. Guy
Contributing Writer

His dirty blonde hair was shoulder length, a tad greasy and unkempt. Legitimately well-worn blue jeans, not the kind intentionally distressed to show age, and a tattered knit sweater over an old tee shirt comprised his preferred uniform. A few days of stubble always graced his forlorn face. Smiles were few. In a word, his expression was "elsewhere." His eyes, when they could be contacted directly, were angry, distant and haunting, but they always hinted at a troubled, vulnerable core.

There was nothing obviously special about the man. No presence. No promise of greatness...or mediocrity for that matter. Had you passed him on the street in 1990, you likely wouldn't have even taken notice, unless it was to shoot a judging, "get away from me, bum" stare toward the unassuming, inconsequential vagabond. A year later, this perceived nobody was the biggest rock star in the world.

When Kurt Cobain strummed the first few cords of "Smells Like Teen Spirit", he and his fellow Nirvana bandmates – Chris Novoselic and Dave Grohl – ended hair metal and ushered in the grunge era. In Cobain, rock music and pop culture had found its latest antihero, even if it wasn't knowingly searching for one.

Golden State Warriors guard Stephen Curry, the son of former NBA player Dell Curry, was three years old when Nirvana exploded in 1991. The Wiggles and Sesame Street were his rock stars, not Cobain and company. Years later, however, when it came time for Curry to select a college, a future NBA star's story intersected with one-time Prince of Grunge.

Curry played his college ball in North Carolina. Not *for* North Carolina. Or Duke. Or N.C. State. Or Wake Forest. In North Carolina... for tiny Davidson College. Despite his NBA genetics, no major college wanted him. Curry's undersized, frail frame were his undoing, his shredded jeans, worn out sweater and far-off gaze.

Playing in North Carolina – for anyone – proved prophetic. The Old North State's slogan "To be, rather than to seem" describes Curry perfectly. The baby-faced, 6'3", 185-pound (soaking wet) guard didn't seem like much upon visual

inspection, but Curry's performance for Davidson was extraordinary. In the 2008 NCAA Tournament, Davidson defeated college bluebloods Gonzaga, Georgetown and Wisconsin before finally losing to Kansas by a bucket in the regional final. Curry averaged 34.5 points in the four games, a stretch that solidified his NBA prospects.

Still, there were whispers entering the 2009 NBA Draft. Curry could shoot, but was he big enough to get his shot off against NBA competition? Could he handle the ball well enough to play point guard? And if so, could he absorb the physical toll of an 82-game season?

Golden State eventually selected Curry with the seventh overall pick, after NBA busts Hasheem Thabeet (second overall) and Jonny Flynn (sixth overall) and lesser NBA players like Tyreke Evans (fourth overall) and Ricky Rubio (fifth overall). It was an appropriate spot for Curry's name to be called, one that both acknowledged his talent and the persistent concerns with his atypical NBA size.

If you've been watching any basketball lately, you know how this ends. In six NBA seasons, Curry has transformed himself into a superior point guard and one of the best shooters in league history. This year Curry won the MVP award and Golden State, after logging the NBA's best record, is playing for its first championship since it swept our Washington Bullets in 1975 NBA Finals. Curry's doubters have been silenced.

Society is quite accomplished at burdening individuals with misconceptions - encountering them on life's trail is practically inevitable. Rare is the person who hasn't at some point been considered too short, too tall, too slow, too frail, too large, insufficiently educated, just not right for the part, incapable of performing a task or saddled with some other unfair or patently false limitation. Of course not everyone is destined to redefine "rock star" or go from unheralded college recruit to NBA MVP, but when doing battle with our personal naysayers, and attempting the tall task of overwhelming perceptions with an alternate reality, it is comforting to draw inspiration from those who did.

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Heroes & Villains: Exploring Archetypes Through Art

A celebration of heroes and villains, their personalities and stories, through the eyes of artists.

Annmarie Garden and Arts Center will host Annmarie After Hours - Opening Reception - Friday, June 19, 6-9 p.m.

This exhibit celebrate the heroes and villains that populate history, literature, popular culture, folklore, mythology, psychology, and other realms of human experience and expression. Where do artists find inspiration? In the protagonist or the antagonist, or in the many shades of gray in between? In historical figures or fictional characters? Whether they look to history books or comic books, or their own fan-

tastical imagination, this exhibit explores the complexities and nuances of heroes and villains.

Contributing Artist(s):

E.J. Barnes, Brandin Baron, Clifford Blanchard, Isaac Brynjegard-Bialik, Kathleen Carlson, Marian Christy, Theresa DeSalvio, Ellisa DiRenzo, Julia Dzikiewicz, Eric England, Mick Grochowski, Eve Hoyt, Michael Koerner, Peter Leue, Andy Malone, Keith Murphey, Julia Musengo, Mary Nash, Laurie Nelson, Christine Palamidessi, Jen Poteet, Terry Quinn, Suzanne Shelden, Nicole Stewart, Ronda Szymanski, Jeffery Boston Weatherford, Amy K. Wendland, Andrew Wodzianski

Colin Hay To Perform At The Calvert Marine Museum

Rock sensation Colin Hay, familiar to millions as front-man, songwriter, and vocalist of Men at Work will perform live at the Calvert Marine Museum's PNC Waterside Pavilion on Friday, July 3. Colin Hay first showed the world that he can rock when Men at Work stormed the charts in the '80's with hits like "Down Under," "Overkill," "Who Can it Be Now," and so many more.

Don't miss this once in a lifetime opportunity to see Colin Hay perform live in Solomons when he opens the Last Summer on Earth Tour with the Violent Femmes and Barenaked Ladies! Tickets for all three acts are \$49 for reserved seats and \$59 for premium seats and are on sale now.

Over the past 15 years, Hay has reinvented himself as a solo artist, regularly selling out theaters and listening rooms across the U.S. and around the world, introducing himself to a new generation of fans in the process. The frequent use of his music in TV and film—including hit shows such as Scrubs, Army Wives, and Modern Family, and inclusion in the hit soundtrack to the film Garden State has proven the timeless appeal of his music.

Songs made famous by Colin Hay are heard in every aspect of contemporary culture and with the February 2015 release of his new solo album Next Year People, we expect to continue enjoying hits for years to come.

Proceeds from the Waterside Concert Series support the education and preservation efforts of the Calvert Marine Museum. This event would not be possible without the generous support of many local businesses. The Last Summer on Earth sponsors include: Prince Frederick Ford/Jeep/Dodge, PNC Bank, Bozick Distributors, Inc., Tidewater Dental, Directmail.com, Holiday Inn Solomons, All American Harley-Davidson, Quality Built Homes, 98.3 Star FM, Bay Weekly, Quick Connections, Southern Maryland Newspapers, Isaac's Restaurant, Papa John's Pizza, ERC, O'Brien Realty, Sherry Carter, United Rentals, Kelly Generator & Equipment, Comcast, and Metrocast.

Chairs and coolers are not permitted. For additional information or to purchase tickets, please visit the website at www.calvertmarinemuseum.com. To reach a staff member, please call 410-326-2042, ext. 16, 17 or 18.

Going On In Entertainment

Thursday, June 11

Thursday Jazz Jam

Eaglewood Sports Lounge (105 Crain Hwy, Upper Marlboro) – 8 to 11 p.m.

Friday, June 12

Farmers' Market, Classic Car Cruise-In & Art Fair

North Beach (8916 Chesapeake Avenue, North Beach) – 6 to 9 p.m.

Crafts & Campfire on the Beach

North Beach (8916 Chesapeake Avenue, North Beach) – 6:30 p.m.

Shegogue, Previti, and Hart: Rhythm and Blues

Westlawn Inn (9200 Chesapeake Ave, North Beach) – 7:30 to 10 p.m.

The Johanssens

Ruddy Duck (13200 Dowell Rd, Dowell) – 8 p.m.

Snakebite Maryland

Anthony's Bar and Grill (10371 Southern Maryland Blvd, Dunkirk) – 9 p.m.

Saturday, June 13

Annual Parking Lot Party/ \$22 AYCE Shrimp Feast

Anthony's Bar and Grill (10371 Southern Maryland Blvd, Dunkirk) – 11 a.m. to 11 p.m.; Band 2 to 9 p.m.

5th Annual Eat, Drink, Go Local: Music by John Luskey (12 to 3 p.m.) and Sara Gray (3 to 6 p.m.)

North Beach (8916 Chesapeake Avenue, North Beach) – 12 to 6 p.m.

Northern Alumni Multi Year Reunion

Anthony's Bar and Grill (10371 Southern Maryland Blvd, Dunkirk) – 2 p.m.

Not So Modern Jazz Quartet: Music

of the 20s, 30s, and 40s

Westlawn Inn (9200 Chesapeake Ave, North Beach) – 7:30 to 10 p.m.

25th HR Band

Toot's Bar (23971 Mervell Dean Rd, Hollywood) – 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m.

Karaoke with DJ Tommy T & Friends

Applebee's (45480 Miramar, California) – 9 p.m. to 12:30 a.m.

Movie on the Beach: Dolphin Tale 2

North Beach (8916 Chesapeake Avenue, North Beach) – dusk

Sunday, June 14

Try Reiki!

Beacon of Hope Recovery & Wellness Center (21770 FDR Blvd., Lexington Park) – 1 to 3 p.m.

Monday, June 15

Pizza & Pint Night

Ruddy Duck (13200 Dowell Rd, Dowell) – 4 to 7 p.m.

Team Trivia

Ruddy Duck (13200 Dowell Rd, Dowell) – 7 p.m.

Tuesday, June 16

Taco Tuesday

Ruddy Duck (13200 Dowell Rd, Dowell) – 4 p.m.

Wednesday, June 17

Open Mic Night

Ruddy Duck (13200 Dowell Rd, Dowell) – 7 p.m.

Karaoke with DJ Tommy T & Friends

Applebee's (2141 General's Highway, Annapolis) – 9 p.m. to 12 a.m.

The Calvert County Times is always looking for more local talent to feature! To submit art or band information for our entertainment section, e-mail info@somdpublishing.net. Please submit calendar listings by 12 p.m. on the Tuesday prior to our Thursday publication.

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June Month Long

New Group Show and Artists

Furniture Gallery of Prince Frederick, 559 Solomons Island Road North, Prince Frederick— Monday through Saturday, 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.; Sunday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The summer group show at the Art center in the Furniture Gallery of Prince Frederick is now on view. As well as showcasing the African wild life photography of Teddie Watts, we are showing new works by three artists with the Color and Light Society of Southern Maryland. Karen Szachnitowski paints in oil, using vibrant colors and bold shapes in landscapes and floral studies. Pam Callen also paints in oil, using a soft palette for water, sky and foliage in lovely atmospheric landscapes. Priscilla Catterton uses bright acrylics to bring still lives and nature studies to life. The Artcenter is also proud to introduce the work of Toni Wolf, joining us for the first time with oils, acrylics and pastels. We continue to feature the work of Lonnie Harkins, Suzanne Sheldon, Carol Wade, Gee Freeman and many other fine local artists. The show will run through Labor Day. For more information, call 443-975-7313.

Thursday, June 4

Democratic Club of St. Mary's Democrat of the Year Dinner

Olde Breton Inn, 21890 Society Hill Road, Leonardtown— 6 to 10 p.m.

St. Mary's County Democrats will have their annual Democrat of the Year dinner at Olde Breton Inn. The Democrats will honor Sen. Roy Dyson for his lifelong service to the community, state and nation; Del. John Bohanan; several other award winners; and 2015 Democrat of the Year Karl Pence, long-time educator and party activist. Tickets remain available by contacting Wanda Twigg at wandabird28@hotmail.com. Congressman Hoyer will offer remarks. The evening will be emceed by Del. Ernie Bell. Social hour is from 6 to 7 p.m. Dinner will take place from 7 to 10 p.m.

For more information, visit www.facebook.com/events/1610876569156655/.

Friday, June 5

First Free Friday

Calvert Marine Museum, 14200 Solomons Island Road S, Solomons— 5 to 8 p.m.

The museum and Drum Point Lighthouse are open and free to the public with docents in each gallery. Enjoy music by GeeZers in the Harms Gallery starting at 6 p.m.; 30-minute Tennison cruises. For more information, call 410-326-2042.

Saturday, June 6

All Saints' Treasures Sale

All Saints' Episcopal Church, Parish Hall, 100 Lower Marlboro Road, Sunderland— 8 a.m. to noon.

Find great buys, gently used items and perhaps an antique. Free admission; free parking. For more information, call 410-257-7694.

Sunset Supper History Cruise

Calvert Marine Museum, 14200 Solomons Island Road S, Solomons— 6 to 8 p.m.

Dr. Ralph Eshelman, noted historian, will talk participants through time along the Patuxent River highlighting events that range from paleo-Indians to World War II. Light supper by Lotus Kitchen included. Cost is \$60 per person. Preregistration required. Seating is limited (Only offered twice this summer and again on Sept. 12). For more information, call 410-326-2042 ext. 41.

Regional Art Exhibition Opening

Flag Ponds Nature Park, 1525 Flag Ponds Parkway, Lusby— 7 to 9 p.m.

More than 40 artists from across the region are showing their work in Nature's ARTcade. The public is invited to attend an evening reception. Prize monies for this juried exhibition total more than \$2,000; prizes for the student exhibit total more than \$500. Artists' awards will be presented on Saturday, June 6, 7 to 9 p.m. The award ceremony for the students will be held Sunday, June 7, 5 to 7 p.m. For more information, visit www.calvertparks.org/artcade.html.

Sunday, June 7

30th Annual Children's Day on the Farm

Jefferson Patterson Park and Museum, 10515 Mackall Road, St. Leonard— 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Celebrate Southern Maryland's rich rural history with a day of fun for the whole family! Jefferson Patterson Park Museum will welcome back Children's Day on the Farm with a mix of classic favorites and new attractions. The event is free and offers a wide range of hands-on activities and demonstrations centered on Southern Maryland rural traditions. Children's Day on the Farm will feature opportunities for visitors to learn about and try their hand at many traditional rural skills, such as corn shelling and weaving. Animal lovers will enjoy multiple petting zoos set up by local farms, which will include chickens, goats, dogs, horses and more. Oxen cart rides, pony rides and sack races will round out this day of barnyard fun! Antique tractors, cars, trucks and farm machinery will be on display throughout the day. Pedal tractors and small engines will complement the antique equipment. Musical performances by artists such as Ray Owens, Jay Armstrong, and Eastern Tradition will take place throughout the day. Live children's entertainment will include the Blue Sky Puppet Theater, storytelling with Horn's Punch and Judy Show, magic

with Ken the Magician and the award-winning Old MacDonald Farm Heritage Show. For more information about Children's Day on the Farm, contact us at 410-586-8501 or jef.pat@maryland.gov.

Gallery Talk

AnnMarie Garden, 13480 Dowell Road, Lusby— 1 to 2 p.m.

Join New York artist Kathryn Kosto for a gallery talk titled, "Poetry, Collage & the Cosmos: approaches to mixed media." Kosto, whose work is included in the current Annmarie gallery show, "Cosmos: imagining the universe," will discuss how poetry has a unique relationship to collage, as a product of rich and deliberate collection and selection. Inspired by the cosmological vision of poets such as Robert Frost and Emily Dickinson, as well as materials from the Farmers' Almanacs, Kosto will share her approach to art, which integrates words, textiles, and findings, and demonstrate collage techniques. Registration not required; admission is free to the gallery talk. To learn more about the program and the Cosmos exhibit, call 410-326-4640 or visit www.annmariegarden.org.

Choir Practice Session

North Beach Union Church, 8912 Chesapeake Avenue, North Beach— 4 to 6 p.m.

The Chesapeake Community Chorus is an all-volunteer chorus that performs concerts to benefit charities in Calvert County. A practice session will be held. We are looking to add new singers to the chorus. No auditions are required. Contact Larry Brown, Director, at 301-855-7477 or email lbrown9601@verizon.net.

Monday, June 8

Pax River Quilters Guild Meeting

Good Samaritan Lutheran Church, 20850 Langley Road, Lexington Park— 6:30 p.m.

The meeting features our Annual Silent Auction. Guild members purge their fabric stash, tools, books, etc. for this fabulous sale! Bargains galore! Also, there will be a potluck dinner. Bring your favorite dish to share. There is a \$5 fee for non-members. New members and guest welcome. Pax River Quilters Guild is a 501(c)(3) organization and is open to the public. Visit our website www.paxriverquiltguild.com or our group page on Facebook for guild information.

Tuesday, June 9

Sea Squirts

Calvert Marine Museum, 14200 Solomons Island Road S, Solomons— 10 a.m. or 11 a.m.

Sea Squirts: Wet, Mucky Marsh now offered twice! The marsh is full of surprises. Come discover them! Free drop-in program for children 18-months to three years and their caregivers. For more information, call 410-326-2042.

Summer Bay Breeze Concert

Chesapeake Beach Railway Museum, 4155 Mears Avenue, Chesapeake Beach— 7:30 p.m.

Blue Rhythm Boys: smoky mix of hot jazz, blues and hokum. The Bay Breeze Concert Series are made possible with the cooperation of the Calvert County Board of the County Commissioners, and from the financial support of The Town of Chesapeake Beach, The HELP Association, The Bates Foundation and our generous membership. Rain location: Northeast Community Center, 4075 Gordon Stinnett Avenue, Chesapeake Beach. Free. For more information, call 410-257-3892.

Wednesday, June 10

Memoirs & Creative Writing Workshop

Calvert Library Prince Frederick, 850 Costley Way, Prince Frederick— 2 to 3:30 p.m.

Join author and editor Elisavietta Ritchie as she encourages the art of creative memoir writing. Bring 12 double-spaced copies of your piece of memoir, 500 to 800 words, to work on and share with the group. For more information, call 410-535-0291, 301-855-1862 or visit www.calvertlibrary.info.

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Lincoln Reagan Dinner

Calvert County Republican Party Headquarters, 424 Solomon Island Road, Prince Frederick - 7:30 p.m.

This year's keynote speaker is Congressman Ted Yoho (FL-3). Senator Steve Waugh (Calvert/St. Mary's) will emcee the event. Congressman Yoho serves on the House Committee on Foreign Affairs. In addition, he also serves on the Middle East and North Africa subcommittee and Terrorism, Nonproliferation, and Trade subcommittee. You also might remember Congressman Yoho as one of the members of congress than ran against Congressman John Boehner for Speaker of the House. In addition to Congressman Yoho, Senator Steve Waugh, Delegate Mark Fisher, and all 5th Congressional Candidates speaking, we will also have other elected officials present, a silent auction, 50/50, and name the Calvert County Republican Man and Woman of the year. This year we are also offering Calvert County High School students reduced cost tickets to make it easier for them to attend. If you are interested in sponsoring a student, please contact us and let us know. For more information, call 410-535-9100.

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Events

June 2015 Event Schedule

• June: Art in the Stacks- Yang S. Hand

Calvert Library Prince Frederick, 850 Costley Way

Medium: 3D Art, including porcelain china painting, ceramic, and pottery. Ms. Hand learned her art in Korea and is certified for instruction in 3D Art and the art of Porcelain Linen Dolls. She has won numerous awards through military art contests throughout the world for porcelain china painting, ceramics, and pottery.

Thursday, June 11

• Summer Reading Kickoff Evening Storytime

Calvert Library Twin Beaches Branch, 3819 Harbor Road, Chesapeake Beach – 6:30 to 7:15 a.m.

Come help us kick off the Summer Reading Program at an evening storytime celebration of our theme, Every Hero Has a Story. 410-257-2411

• Summer Reading Kickoff Evening Storytime

Calvert Library Southern Branch, 13920 H. G. Trueman Road, Solomons – 7 to 8 p.m.

Come help us kick off the Summer Reading Program at an evening storytime celebration of our theme, Every Hero Has a Story.

Friday, June 12

• On Pins & Needles

Calvert Library Prince Frederick, 850 Costley Way – 1 to 4 p.m.

Bring your quilting, needlework, knitting, crocheting, or other project for an afternoon of conversation and shared creativity.

• An Evening of Minecraft for Teens & Tweens

Calvert Library Twin Beaches Branch, 3819 Harbor Road, Chesapeake Beach – 5:30 to 7 p.m.

Play Minecraft on our computers while the library is closed to other customers. Please register.

Saturday, June 13

• Chess Saturdays at the Library

Calvert Library Twin Beaches Branch, 3819 Harbor Road, Chesapeake Beach – 10 a.m. to noon

Chess enthusiasts or wannabe enthusiasts—please join us (with or without your own chess set) at the library the 2nd Saturday of each month from 10 a.m. to noon. All ages and levels welcome! Please register.

• Garden Smarter: Bugs, Slugs, and Other Garden Thugs

Calvert Library Prince Frederick, 850 Costley Way – 10 to 11:30 a.m.

Learn the basics for managing insects, disease, and other pests in your landscape and vegetable garden. Practical suggestions for how to have a more sustainable landscape without dependence on pesticides.

• Learn Mahjongg

Calvert Library Southern Branch, 13920 H. G. Trueman Road, Solomons – 1 to 3 p.m.

Want to learn Mahjongg? Games are a great way to keep your brain sharp while having fun! Join us!

• Poetry Workshop

Calvert Library Prince Frederick, 850 Costley Way – 2 to 4 p.m.

Learn a bit more about writing poetry. Share your work, share critiques or just come hear what local poetry writers are

producing. Please register.

Monday, June 15

• Books & Toys

Calvert Library Southern Branch, 13920 H. G. Trueman Road, Solomons – 10 to 11 a.m.

“My Name is Memory” by Ann Brashares. Moms, parents, caregivers and your tots! Book club for mom, playtime for kids!

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• Calvert Eats Local

Calvert Library Prince Frederick, 850 Costley Way – 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Encourage local agriculture, discover ways to eat locally, and share resources, energy, and good ideas for great food!

Tuesday, June 16

• Drop-in Computer Coding

Calvert Library Prince Frederick, 850 Costley Way – 5:30 to 6:30 p.m.

Have fun learning the languages of computers. It's fun, It's easy. Younger children will need the help of an adult.

• Flying Needles

Calvert Library Southern Branch, 13920 H. G. Trueman Road, Solomons – 6 to 9 p.m.

Knitting, crocheting and portable crafting group open to anyone wanting to join in and share talents, crafting time or learn a new skill.

• Book Discussion

Calvert Library Prince Frederick, 850 Costley Way – 7 to 8:30 p.m.

The Headmaster's Wife by Thomas Christopher Greene. Inspired by a personal loss, Greene explores the way that tragedy and time assail one man's memories of his life and loves. Like his father before him, Arthur Winthrop is the Headmaster of Vermont's elite Lancaster School. It is the place he feels has given him his life, but is also the site of his undoing as events spiral out of his control. Found wandering naked in Central Park, he begins to tell his story to the police, but his memories collide into one another, and the true nature of things, a narrative of love, of marriage, of family and of a tragedy Arthur does not know how to address emerges. In this book, Greene pens a haunting and deeply affecting portrait of one couple at their best and worst.

Wednesday, June 17

• Book Discussion

Calvert Library Fairview Branch, Rt. 4 and Chaneyville Road, Owings – 2 to 3:30 p.m.

The Book of Unknown Americans by Christina Henriquez. Join us for a lively discussion!

Thursday, June 18

• Resume and Cover Letter Workshop

Calvert Library Prince Frederick, 850 Costley Way – 1 to 3 p.m.

Need help with your resume? Join job counselor Sandra Holler in a small group to learn what makes a strong resume and cover letter. If you have one started, bring it with you so editing can happen on the spot. Please register.

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Saturday, June 20

• Garden Smarter: Microgreens

Calvert Library Southern Branch, 13920 H. G. Trueman Road, Solomons – 10 to 11:30 a.m.

Smaller than baby greens, grow and use in 10-14 days and delicious in salads, soups, and sandwiches! Like fine dining chefs, grow and use microgreens to enhance the beauty, taste and freshness of your meals.

• Brain Games: Mahjongg, Scrabble & more

Calvert Library Prince Frederick, 850 Costley Way – noon to 3 p.m.

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Monday, June 22

• Monday Morning Movies

Calvert Library Prince Frederick, 850 Costley Way – 10 to 11 a.m.

Bring the little ones for movies and a story. We'll complete a coloring sheet too.

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Calvert Library Twin Beaches Branch, 3819 Harbor Road, Chesapeake Beach – 10 to 11 a.m.

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- 1. S.W. gully
- 7. Japanese polytheism
- 13. N.H. Academy and town
- 14. Most aired
- 16. Prosecuting officer
- 17. Badger State
- 19. Atomic #24
- 20. Moose genus
- 22. Possessed
- 23. Make a smooth transition
- 25. Thug (slang)
- 26. Locations or places
- 28. Rivulet
- 29. The self
- 30. Not good
- 31. Obstruct
- 33. Decalitre
- 34. Space for sitting
- 36. Taxi
- 38. 7th tone
- 39. Ethiopian lake
- 41. Tears down
- 43. Gold
- 44. Angle (abbr.)
- 46. Semitic fertility god
- 47. Beak
- 49. Digital audiotape
- 51. Small child
- 52. 4th caliph of Islam

- 55. 4840 square yards
- 57. Devious trick (Yiddish)
- 59. Overgarments
- 60. Large creature
- 62. Ingest
- 63. Nuisances
- 64. - ___, denotes past
- 65. Wine waiter
- 68. I, Portuguese
- 69. Compunction
- 71. Overshadow
- 73. Emphasize
- 74. An unsuccessful ending

CLUES DOWN

- 1. Something comparable
- 2. Rural delivery
- 3. "Laugh-In" co-host Dan
- 4. Sheep genus
- 5. Affirmative
- 6. Vanilla's flower family
- 7. In a way, made smoother
- 8. Belong to he
- 9. Greek rainbow goddess
- 10. S.F. football team player
- 11. Atomic #52
- 12. Kiss
- 13. Proverb
- 15. Lattice support
- 18. Cereal grass

- 21. Rome, GA river
- 24. Disease of cattle
- 26. Seated
- 27. A baglike structure in plant or animal
- 30. Blatted
- 32. Murdered in his bathtub
- 35. Finish
- 37. Sheep sound
- 39. Scarlett songbird
- 40. Kills oneself
- 42. Broad, flat pieces of stone
- 45. Auto fuel
- 46. Derek ___, X Harvard Pres.
- 48. Woman's undergarment
- 50. Topics of discourse
- 51. Belonging to the peerage
- 53. Most recent
- 54. Point of debate
- 56. Ostend artist James Sydney
- 58. Phonograph inventor's initials
- 59. Eagle's nest
- 61. Ripped a fabric
- 63. Lucre
- 66. Manuscripts (abbr.)
- 67. Frozen water
- 70. 41st state
- 72. Keystone state



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